

**REMEMBER WHEN****Spring 1997**

In March, the CVTC Board began meeting in a new location - the Boston Store, where we are still meeting.

The second edition of the Trail Guide Handbook made its debut in the spring. CVTC volunteers Rob and Peg Bobel spent countless hours compiling and editing the handbook with the help of the Publications Committee.

It was a cold wet spring in the Cuyahoga Valley. Volunteers at the March work session worked on the Plateau Trail in 28° weather with intermittent snow flurries. Two crews cleared two different sections; another crew installed three culverts; yet another reinforced approaches to a bridge with rock. In April, CVTC crews tackled drainage problems on the Stanford Trail. Six culverts and drainage ditches were installed. In May, clearing and grubbing work continued on a fourth section of the Plateau Trail. Other work that day included hauling and tamping fill on the approach to the bridge on the third section and installing ditches in preparation for turnpiking near the

boardwalk.

**Spring 1987**

The April and May trail work sessions were held on the towpath. A connector trail was built from Lock 32 to Stanford Road to avoid private property and three-quarters of a mile of clearing was done between Red Lock and Goose Pond Weir.

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## Upcoming Events

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**"Bonus" Trail Work Session on National Trails Day**

The CVTC is scheduling an extra trail work session on the Ledges Trail to coincide with the Adopt-A-Trail Training Workshop on June 2, National Trails Day. This extra session will enable us to get the necessary work done on this trail at a faster pace.

The work session is open to all volunteers who will not be participating in the A-A-T maintenance sweeps that day. It will follow the indoor portion of the workshop. Meet at the Octagon Parking Lot at 10 a.m.

**Cuyahoga Valley Trails Council Will Switch Again in May  
Riverday is on May 19th**

Again this year, Riverday will be observed on the third Saturday in May, which is the 19th. Therefore, CVTC's May trail session will be on the 12th.

This year marks the 17th Anniversary of Riverday, sponsored by Friends of the Crooked River. As with past Riverdays, CVTC crew3 leaders and volunteers are needed to help clean up part of the Cuyahoga Valley watershed. We will meet at Howe Meadow and work from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m.

Call Dave Daams at 216-663-2375 for more information.

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